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INSOMNIA

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**Carolyn Eads
Class of 1989
Communication**

Winter's harsh breath—whispers

drifts across forever

to be heard over 10,000 cold mornings

as dreams are driven away, suppressed

like the moon's steel spirit, outshined by

a sun that dances 24/7—inviting madness

to casually creep

inch by inch

into a troubled mind

only set free at the onset

of a strange

black

sleep.